## POLICE CHANGES IN PETERSBURG

First Sergeant Coleman's Resignation Accepted-Two Officers Chosen.

M'ILWAINE SPONSOR

General Banks Has Named Young Petersburg Lady State Sponsor for Sons.

ISpecial to The Times-Dispatch.]

PETEIRSBURG, VA., April 15.—A
number of changes in the Petersburg
police corps were made to-day at a
meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners. First Sergeant John J.
Coleman's resignation was accepted,
and Second Sergeant R. B. Stevens was
promoted to succeed him, Patrolman
volin E. Titmus succeeding him. Wayerly T. Belcher, a substitute officer,
was made a regular officer to succeed
Titmus. Patrolman J. A. McMahon's
resignation was accepted, and John
T. Clayton was elected to fill the vacancy. The commissioners postponed
the appointment of several officers until after Judgo Mullen renders his decision on the appeal of Patrolman Gallon, who was recently discharged from
the police force by the commissioners,
and made an appeal to the Hustings
Court.

Sunday-School Officers.

Court.

The Baptist Sunday-School Officers.

The Baptist Sunday-School Association of Petersburg and vicinity elected the following officers for the ensuing year at a big meeting yesterday aftersoon at the Second Baptist Church; President, Dr. William Pitcher; Vice-President, Jr. Vicename States Scretary, C. P. Ellington: Treasurer, X. S. Wells, R. Co. J. R. Doun, the retiring Asster of West End Baptist Church, delivered the address, and, in a few well closen words, bade the association farewell. The March reports of seven of the eight schools composing the organization showed a total register of 1.273 scholars; attendance, 1,633; collections, 3168.23. There was no report from the school at the village of Matonca, in Chesterfied county.

The first business men's prayer-meeting preparatory to the opening of an evangelistic campaign in this eity next Sunday afternoon by Rev. George C. Cates, the well-knewn Kentucky evangelist, was held this morning at Tabb Street Presbyterian Church, and was very largely attended. A letter was received to-day from Mr. Cates, announcing that he will reach Petersburg axt Sunday, and desires a mass-meeting of all Petersburg axt Sunday, and desires a mass-meeting of all Petersburg axt Sunday, and desires a mass-meeting of all Petersburg christians at Tabb Street Pressbyterian Church at 3 o'clock that afternoon.

As previously stated in The Times-Dispatch, Mr. Cates's campaign will be made under the asspices of a general executive committee, composed of representatives of the Presbyterian, Methodist, Baptist and Disciples churches of the city. The preparatory prayer-meetings will be held at Tabb Street Church every morning this week.

The revival services at the Second

Miss McIlwaine Sponsor.

General James P. Banks, commander the Virginia Division, Sons of Confed rate Veterans, has appointed Miss Lucy thinson Mellwaine, of Petersburg, Stati

Mkinson Mcllwaine, of Petersburg, State pensor for the Sons at the Richmond reminion in May. Miss Grace Ratclife Day, of Smithfield has been appointed mald of ionor to Miss Mcllwaine.

Lestic Dalton, a colored convict, who and escaped from the convict camp near Berminda Hundred yesterday morning, was caught here, vesterday afternoon by Lieutenant of Police Donahue, who made has agrees within half an hour after Dal-

Death of Miss Eanes.

Miss Maggie May Eanes, young at laughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Eanes died early Sinday morning at the home of her parents on Guarantee Street, Miss Eanes was eighteen years old, and is survived by her father and nother, two brothers and a sister, all of whom live in this city.

ve in this city,
Mrs. Francis Ann Newcomb, widow of
tugustus B. Nemcomb, of Prince
serge county, died here Saturday eve,
dag at the residence of her son, C. J
tewcomb, Mrs. Newcomb was cightywe years old,

FINES ADDIE LONG.

Woman Arrested in Clifton Forge

Not D. A. R.

CLIFTON FORGE, VA. April 15.—
The woman arrested here and giving ser name as Addie Long, of Indianpolis, Ind., was tried in the Mayor's fourt to-day, charged with the theft of a railroad ticket from here to Washngton. She was fined twenty dollars port published in the Washington paper that this woman had been arrested in a Pullman for disorderly conduct D. A. Nicholson, sheriff, and H. N. and that she is a Daughter of the Dellari, Commonwealth's Attorney.



### Be You Tall

or small, stout or slim, deep of chest or broad of "tum-tum," we can fit you perfectly.

¶Our range of suit sizes is very complete and accurately graded to the fraction of an inch.

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I"We can," said we, and we did. Perfect fitting Suits, \$12 to \$25. Perfect fitting Shirts, \$1.00 to

Perfect fitting Underwear, 50c

## Jacobs & Levy

American Revolution, and was carried to jail in a patrol-wagon, is without foundation.

She was not even traveling in a Fullman. She took her cordinement in jail as one accustomed to such life, when fined in court she produced a large rell of money, notwithstanding she told the agent here that she was stranded. The woman had a tleket to Norfolk, and she would not say why she had attempted to buy one ticket to Wishington.

CALLOWAY GOES TO JURY. Identified as Man Who Assaulted

Zeb Edwards. DANVILLE, VA., April 15.—Rency Calloway, a white man about thirty years of age, was held for the grand years of age, was held for the grand jury after a hearing in the Mayor's Court this morning, on the charge of having assaulted Zeb Edwards, a loomfixer, who came here a short time ago from Raleigh, N. C. Edwards was taking in the sights Saturday night and was drunk, After luring him from a house, it is alleged that Calloway knocked him down with some blunt instrument and robbed him of his watch and about fifteen dollars in money. He left the victim in a prostrate condition near the river bank, and told him if he made an outery that he would kill him. Edwards positively identified Calloway as the man who robbed him, Calloway has for the past two years made his home in Lynchburg.

REMARKABLE WEATHER.

Snow Has Fallen Every Day of Month at Wytheville.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WYTHEVILLE, VA., April 15. unusual weather for the season reach. e a climax here last night, and the de a climax here last night, and the hight before, the thermoneter registering 22 and 24 degices respectively it has snowed every day during the month, and the mountains are covered the whole time. Fruit and every sor of vegetation has been all killed.

State Arcanum Meets To-Day.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
DANVILLE VA., April 15.—The annual convention of the Royal Arcanum of Virginit, will be held here to-morrow and Wednesday, Over two hundred delegates from all parts of the State are expected to attend.

Rabbi Cohen Accepts.

KADDI COREN ACCEPTS.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

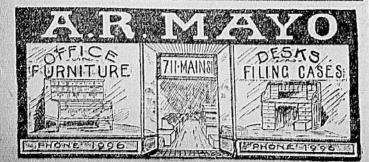
LYNCHBURG, VA., April 15.—Rabbi
J. Cohen, of Plymouth, Pa., has accepted a call to the Agdath Sholum
Synagogue, of this city, and he will
take up his new work on May 1st,
Rabbi Cohen succeeds Rabbi S. C.
Schein, who has resigned to engage
fu business with a brother in Reading.
Pa.

Chitwood for House.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ROCK MOUNT, VA., April 15.—A
the Democratic County Convention her

PURIFIES THE BLOOD

There is no other part of our physical system upon which so much depends as upon the blood. The muscles, nerves, bones, sinews, skin, and other portions of the body are sustained, developed and enabled to perform their different duties, because they are supplied with nourishment and healthful properties through the circulation. In various ways the blood becomes contaminated and polluted. A sluggish, inactive condition of the system, and torpid state of the avenues of bodily waste, will leave the refuse and waste matter of the body to sour and form uric and other acids, which are absorbed into the blood and Rheumatism, or some itching, disfiguring skin disease is the result. Muddy, sallow complexions, cruptions, splotches, pimples, etc., all show that some humor has taken root in the circulation and rendered it sour and unfit for nourishing the body. There is scarcely any disease which cannot be traced to the blood. Often the disease-tainted blood of parents is handed down to children and their lives are a continual battle against disease in some form, usually of a scrolulous nature. Rheudepends as upon the blood. The muscles, nerves, bones, sinews, skin, and battle against disease in some form, usually of a scrofulous nature. Rheumatism, Catarrh, Skin Diseases, Sores and Ulcers, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., are all deep-seated blood troubles, and until this vital fluid is purified they cannot be cured. For all blood diseases S. S. S. is the best remedy ever put upon the market. This great medicine is made of roots, herbs and barks of recognized blood-purifying and building-up properties. It goes down into the circulation and removes all poisons, impurities and humors, supplies the blood with the healthful properties it needs and completely cures blood diseases of every kind. diseases of every kind. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Skin Diseases, Sores and Ulcers, Contagious Blood Poison, etc. because it purifies the blood. Book on the blood and medical advice free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.



Externally Big Show Will Appear Complete by Opening Day, Say Authorities,

ACCOMPLISH MUCH IN A DAY

Army of Workmen Rushing Finishing Touches-Brooks Johnson Says No Closing.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., April 15.—When the
long line of battleships forming the North Atlantic Fleet majestilally steamed into Hampton Roads late this afternoon, the flag of Rear-Admiral Evans flying at the masthead of the Maine, and dropped anchor in double column off the grounds of the James-town Exposition, the thousands of workmen who had just put down their tools after a day's toil had brought to them with startling suddenness the nearness of the day when a thousand guns will announce the three-hundredth year of Western civilization, and dredth year of Western civilization, and throw open the gates to the celebration of that tercentennial. Just nine days are to claps: before Fresident Roosevelt will formally lnaugurate the Jamestown Exposition. Within that time the army of men under the direction of the Department of Works have much to accomplish from a superficial viewpoint, but a careful analysis of the situation shows that the 29th of April will find the exposition presenting a noble front to the thousands of visitors who will surge through its portais.

Can Get Grounds Ready. Can Get Grounds Ready.

who will surge through its portals.

Can Get Grounds Ready.

With the exception of the government pier, the irreproof art building and a couple of State buildings, the exposition is structurally complete. Fisishing touches are being put upon other buildings, but they are so far advanced that this work will be completed before the opening. There is no chance of the government pier, which will be the most prominent feature of the exposition, being completed on time. What has given the visitor an impression of the backwardness of the exposition work up to this time has been the condition of the grounds surrounding the buildings. To a very great extent this has been wonderfully changed during the past week and there is nothing to cause any one to believe that by opening day the landscape work will not be finished.

Where to-night a large exhibit building is surrounded by scrap lumber and tossed up 50%, to-morrow night it will stand in the midst of a level plot of sodded ground, with transplanted shrubbery sicircling it; where to-day a street, if one would call it such, is a fit subject for a good road crusade picture, to-morrow night it will have been ploughed up, scraped to grade, rolled solid by immense rollers and glyon a first coating of crushed stone.

It is a systematic program of deter-

stone.

It is a systematic program of determined progress that is being carried out by the Department of Works, and so thoroughly is the work mapped out, and so exactly is the work mapped out, and so exactly is the schedule being maintained that if the weather holds good, the Jamestown Exposition will give nothing but a favorable impression to visitors on April 26th. With the President present, the thousands of soldiers and sailors in parade and other attractions on shore, and the half hundred mighty fighting crafts affeat to attract the attention of the crowd, there will be little time for a scrutiny of the exhibits in the big buildings, and the fact that these are behind in being installed will not be so widely noticed. Externally, the exposition will present a good front.

"Say emphatically that the exposition will open on April 26th, and stay open until November 20th," said C. Brooks Johnston, chalman of the board of governors, to-night. "The question of closing has never been considered." It is a systematic program of deter

#### GREAT GATHERING OF EXECUTIVES

Governor Swanson Asks State Officials to Virginia's

Reception.

Governor Swanson has determined to make the opening exercises of the Jamestown Exposition, so far as the State's end is concerned, a success, and with this in view, he has planned a great ignthering of State executives and their friends at the Virginia building on the evening before the first day of the great slow, liere is an invitation, which His Exceliency has sent to all the Governors in the United States.

"The Governor of the honor of your presence, together with your offlein party, at the reception to be given in the Virginia building at the Jamestown Exposition at 9 P. M., April 25th. I would appreciate if you would wire acceptance, with number of your party.

"CLAUDE A. SWANSON,"

This invitation went out by telegraph yesterday, and owing to the fact that the time is short, the Governor askat that the acceptances be likewisa wired. The affair promises to be a most brilliant one. Governor Swanson has determined to

BIG SHIPS ARRIVE.

Fleet of Fourteen Battleships

Reach Hampton Roads.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

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[SolifOLK, VA., April 15.—In an Imposing column, the fourteen battleships which have been at target practice and undergoing fleet motions in Guantanamo Bay and vicinity, most of them since early in the year, steamed into the Chesapeake on to Humpton Roads this afternoon, after the control of Humpton Roads this afternoon, after the control of the property of the color of the special of the chera followed in the following order: Maine, Missouri, Virginia, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Georgia, Alabama, Illinois Rentucky, Kearsarge, Ohio, Iowa and Indiana, All were well abeard the ships, and officers and men alike were in high spirits over the return home.

The ships show signs of the service through which they have been put. The fleet is now anchored off the grounds of the Jamestown Exposition opening on April 26th. There are now twenty powerful American vessels at anchor in Hampton Roads—perhaps the most formidable fleet over gotten together.

#### RUSHING BUSINESS.

Approach of Exposition Necessitates Increase of Force.

tates Increase of Force, [Special to The Times-Dispaten.]
NORFOLK, VA., April 15.—The heavy increase and rush of business at the Norfolk post-office, incident to the exposition, has necessitated a great increase in the force of employes there. Orders have been received from Washington granting the request of Postmaster Carney for nine additional carriers, and these were put to work to-day, and considerably relieved the congestion at the post-office.

There is also a great rush at the goneral delivery windows of the post-office and Superintendent of Free Delivery Wing is making an effort to secure additional delivery elerks and a third delivery win-

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dow. Additional help is also needed in all other departments of the post-office.

CANNING FACTORY.

Industry Will Be Operated Again

Industry Will Be Operated Again

This Summer.

ISpecial to The Times-Dispatch, J.
FREDERICKSBURG, VA. April 15.—
Roberts Bros., of Baltimere, have arranged for Operating their large canning factory here again this summer, and are now making contracts with farmers in this section, and distributing seed for the raising of tomatoes for canning purposes.

William Sorrell, of Orange county, lost his sawmill by fire a few days ago. He saved the engine and bolier. There was no insurance.

The barn of Mrs. M. C. Peers, of Louisa county, was burned a few alghts ago, together with contents of sixty barrels of corn, eight tons of hay, threshing machine and other farming implements. Loss, over \$1,000.

OPPOSES LICENSES.

Temperance People of Pittsyl-

Temperance People of Pittsylvania Will Fight All Applications.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHATHAM. VA., April 16.—Applications for Heense to distill and retail liquor in Pittsylvania before Judge Harvey, presiding at the regular term of April Circuit Court. to-day were continued until Tuesday of next week.

R. W. Peatross, of Danville, and counsel for the anti-liquor element, announced in court to-day that every application would be contested. Shortly before court opened a gathering of representative citizens from many sections of the county, was held and arrangements perfected to oppose granting liquor license of any kind in any part of the county.

#### FALLS FROM TRAIN.

Flagman Tumbles Forty Feet Into River and Is Drowned.

Into River and Is Drowned.

BRISTOL, TENN., April 15.—News was received to-day of the drowning at Clinchport, Va., of Fayette J. Moore, of Bristol, Va., a flagman on the Virginia and Southwestern Rallway.

Moore fell from the top of a train while it was crossing the bridge over Clinch River, striking the water forty feet below. Two men in a skiff saw him, but were unable to reach him in time to prevent his drowning. The body was found three hours later. Moore's wife survives him.

#### FIX PRIMARY DATE.

Senator Holt Stands for Re-

Election-Ashby Opposes Him. NEWPORT NEWS, VA., April 15.— the Senatorial District Democratic committee met here to-day and fixe-une 29th as the date for the summer June 29th as the date for the summer primary. Newport News and the counties of York, Warwick and Elizabeth City and in this district. Senator S W. Holt is offering for re-election, and he is opposed by C. Aylett Ashby. In the race for Legislature are W. E Barrett, offering for re-election; S Otts Bland, A. A. Moss and J. Il Hawkins.

INSPECTS MINUTE MEN.

Colonel Dempsey Expresses Him self as Pleased With Militia.

CULPEPER, VA., April 15.—After the spection of the Culpeper Minute Men by collegers, VA., April 18.—After the inspection of the Culpeper Minute Men by Colonel C. E. Dempsey, of the United States Army, he expressed himself as being highly pleased at the fine showing he company made in the manual of arms, the execution of the various manoeuvres, the condition of their arms and general equipment. This millitary company was organized here July 1776, and took prominent part in the War of the American Revolution, in the War of 1812 and in the Civil War of 1861, Captain Edwin Slaughter, who exhibits great energy in the general management of his company, will have one of the best at the Jamestown Exposition, as it is the crack company of Pledmont Virginia.

Williamsburg Lots Selling.

WILLIAMSRURG, VA., April 15.—The Coloniel Extension Company, organized here a year ago for the purpose of extending the city limits, is throwing lots in the best residential part of the town upon the market for building purpose.

purposes.
Some of the lots have already been purchased, and as the locations are very desirable ones, it does not seem improbable that the entire number of lots will be disposed of before the thirty days in which they will be for sale shall expire.

Dance the Flower Dance.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WILLIAMSBURG, VA., April 15.—
The Daughters of the Confederacy will
give an entertainment at Cameron Hall
Friday night, April 19th. A splendid
program has been arranged for the
occasion.

occasion.

Fifteen leading society ladies and gentiemen will dance the "Flower Dance," and four couples will dance the innet.

Miss Fine, of Norfolk, who has a splendid soprano voice, will sing several soles, and she and Professor R. M. Crawford will sing a duct.

Prepares for Encampment.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., April 15.—The

Home Guard, Company E, of the Seventiteth Regiment, is active now in its
proparation, for the summer encampment at the Jamestown Exposition, and
it is believed now that every officer
and enlisted men will make the trip.

The company last week made 100
percentage in attendance at the annual
inspection by Colonel Decapsey, of the
regular army, this being the eighth inspection under Federal and State auspices in the past Ave years that the
command has had every man present
at.

Site for Seminary.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILLIAMSBURG. VA. April 15.—
The committee of the educational board
of the Norfolk Presbytery has finally
selected the site for the female sem-

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The tract offered by B. F. Wolfe on the western suburbs of the city was finally chosen after considerable debate, many of the members being in favor of purchasing historic Tazeweil Hall for the school. Four thousand seven hundred dollars is the amount paid for the tract. The site chosen is a beautiful one, and no more suitable one could have been found.

Comes Here for Operation,

Glade Spring Times Dispatch.]

GLADE SPRINGS, VA., April 15.—Mr.
M. G. Hendricks, accompanied by Dr.
W. M. Phillips, of Wallace, Va., left
hore on to-night's train for Richmond, Va., where he will be operated
on by Dr. Ben Johnston in the Memorial
Hospital Mr. Hendricks is a prominent farmer of this section and has
been ill for some time,

# ESCAPE ARREST

Runs from Officer and Flings Himself Into Elizabeth River.

RAMS AN O. D. STEAMER

Mobjack, Having Excursion Party on Board, Collides With Schooner Gaffney.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

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NORFOLK, VA., April 15.—In a wild dash to avoid arrest an unknown negro was drowned in the Elizabeth, oir the Washington Dock.

The negro was observed walking down Water Street with a bundle under his arm by Police Officer W. W. Cleve, Having a suspicious appearance, the officer ornered him to stop, but the negro took flight. The officer opened fire as the negro ran down Woodside Lane, but the fugitive did not stop, liu went straight over the wharf and into the water. Policeman Cleve, assisted by other officers, whom he called to his aid, conducted a search for the negro, thinking that he might be swimming or clinging to some object in the water, but the man was never seen again.

In his flight the man drouped the

In his flight the man dropped the bundle which prompted the officers to order him to stop. It contained two pieces of ham, taken from a nearby packing-house.

Rams "Mobjack." Rams "Mobjack."

The schooner William M. Gaffney, of the New York bluefishing fleet, now in these waters, runmed the Old Dominion Line steamer Mobjack last night as the Mobjack was off old Point bound for Norfolk from Mobjack lay with an excursion party aboard.

The schooner struck the Mobjack forward and the crashing of the Joiner work of the steamer above the water-line affrighted the excursionists, but there was no panie.

The Mobjack came to Norfolk and landed her passengers, and this morning the schooner came up.

### FIGHT ANNEXATION.

Board of Supervisors of Pittsylvania County Defendant in Suit.
CHATHAM, April 15.—The Board of
Supervisors has instructed Comnonwealth's Attorney Dillard to
make Pittsylvania a party defendant
to the annexation proceedings recently
instituted by Danville, in which it is
the intention of acquiring several hundred acres of the county in Tunstall
District.

dred acres of the county in Tunstall District.

J. T. Thompson, J. I. Pritchett, J. E. Glles and Commonwealth's Attorney Dillard were appointed a committee to investigate the proceedings and to ascertain the wishes of the citizens residing in the territory in question. The annexation case is to be tried some time during the month of May. Contract was awarded the Pauly Jail Bullding Company for lining the four rear walls of the county jail with Bessemer steel, at a cost of \$1.352.75. Sheriff Shellhorse and Commonwealth's Attorney Dillard were appointed a committee in charge of same. The rear walls of the jail have been in need of repair for some time, and within the repair for some time, and within the past few months, two prisoners have escaped by digging through the lower rear wall. The third was only averted from escaping less than thirty days ago by some of the citizens being aroused by the unusual noise one night, and upon investigating, found the would-be jall-breaker halfway through the wall. The sum of \$1,000 was ordered to be paid to J. H. Hargrave, Jr., chairman of the almshouse board, to be used in defraying the current expenses of same. past few months, two prisoners have

rent expenses of same.
One new road machine and severa new tents were purchased for the road forces of the county, and a warrant for \$278.07 was issued to the Chutham Savings Bank in payment of balance

Savings Bank in payment of balance due on two mules recently purchased for the county.

Supervisors Davis and Graves were ordered to have the necessary repairs made to Louis Island Brigge, over Pigg River, and to receive sealed bids for The next meeting of the board wil

be on the 11th of June.

TRAIN JUMPS TRACK.

Six Cars of Local Freight Roll Down Embankment.

Down Embankment.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BURKEVILLE, VA., April 15.—Local freight train No. 81, coming from Richmond, this afternoon at 4 o'clock ran off the track about three-quarters of a mile northeast of this place, throwing six cars down an embankment of twenty feet. Brakemen Tienry Coleman and Wille Relson, both colored, were on the top of the first cars going down, and were fortunately thrown far beyond the landing place of the cars. Coleman was internally injured, but Dr. Young, who was in the last car, stated that they are not necessarily fatal. He was brought to Burkey-ville, and is attended by the doctor. Nellson, who was only slightly injured, remained at the wreck.

Mr. A. P. Cone, superlutendent of the division, arrived on the work train from Richmond at 7:15 P. M., and after making the necessary arrangements for the clearing and repairing of the track, made an investigation as to the cause of the accledent, but has not as yet been able to arrive at a definite conclusion. Trains will not be able to pass before midnight.

SETS VERDICT ASIDE.

Jury Gave Hatcher \$100, Subject to Court Ruling.

to Court Ruling.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

CHESTERFIELD, VA., April 15.—A

suit of Peter V. Hatcher vs. the Southern
Railway Company was tried to-day in
the Circuit Court, the jury finding a verdict of \$100 for the plaintiff, subject to
the court's decision and ruling as to the
sufficiency of the evidence to warrant a
verdict against the company, the suit
being for \$350 fire damages. The court
later sustained a demurser to the evidence
and set the verdict aside.

Suits against the Atlantic Coast Line
Railroad Company will be heard to-morrow and Wednesday.

Hebron Elects Deacons. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FITNA MILLS, VA., April 15.—Rev.
A. T. King, pastor of Hebron Baptist
Church, came out on the early 7:25



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LUMBER

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Chesapeake and Ohio train Saturday morning from Richmond to be at a special meeting of the church to elect two deacons—one in the place of the Ate Alexander Moren, and R. V. Atkins, who has moved to Richmond. Joseph Dabney and Samuel Temple Bowles, Jr., were elected to fill the vacancies. These gentlemen will be ordained the fifth Sunday in June of the present year. Rav. George W. MeDanlel, of Richmond, will be asked to take part in assisting the pastor.

LARGE PERSONAL TAXES.

Lawyer DeSaussure Forwards \$2,500 for Wm. Cox Estate.

\$2,500 for Wm. Cox Estate.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CHESTERFIELD C, H., VA., April 15.

—About \$2,500 was paid to the county
clerk to-day for delinquent personal
property taxes which have accrued
since the year 1896 in the name of T.
M. Logan, trustee for William Cox and
family, having been forwarded by Wm.
P. DeSaussure, attorney. This is the
largest delinquency paid in a single
case of late years, about two-thirds
of which will go into the county treasury.

of which will go into the converge of the marriage of James C. Norton, a foreman of the Matonea Cotton Mills, to Miss Elizabeth Cordio.

Mr. John S. Taylor, chairman of the Board of Supervisors, has just returned from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Sanford, in Hampton, and, incidentally, to the Exposition Grounds.

DUCK ON TRIAL

He Is Charged With Having Murdered Fletcher Carter.

Murdered Fletcher Carter.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

DANVILLE, VA. April 15.—Monroo
Duck will be placed on trial at the County
Court at Chatham to-morrow, on the
charge of having murdered Fletcher Cartet. The killing occurred in the suburbs
of the city last Easter Monday, following
a game of baschall among the negroes,
which ended in a general fight. Duck
emptled the contents of a shorgun in the
stomneh of Carter, causing fatal injuries.
He claims that the shooting was needdental, but the witnesses say that it was
the result of an old gradge.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

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